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9 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
10 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
11 AT SPOKANE

12 REVELRY VINTNERS, LLC,

13 Plaintiff,

14 v.

15 MACKAY RESTAURANT  
16 MANAGEMENT GROUP, INC., FIRE  
17 & VINE HOLDINGS, LLC, and  
18 YELLOWHAWK RESORT WW, LLC,

Defendants.

Case No. : 4:21-CV-5110-TOR

STIPULATED AMENDED  
PROTECTIVE ORDER

19 1. PURPOSES AND LIMITATIONS

20 Discovery in this action is likely to involve production of confidential,  
21 proprietary, trade secret, or private information for which special protection may be  
22 warranted. Accordingly, the parties hereby agree to and petition the court to enter  
23 the following Proposed Protective Order. This Order does not confer blanket  
24 protection on all disclosures or responses to discovery; the protection it affords from  
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1 public disclosure and use extends only to the limited information or items that are  
2 entitled to confidential treatment under the applicable legal principles; it does not  
3 presumptively entitle parties to file confidential information under seal.

4 2. "CONFIDENTIAL" AND "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL - ATTORNEYS'  
5 EYES ONLY" MATERIAL

6 2.1 "Confidential" material shall include information that is not publicly  
7 available, the disclosure of which could cause harm to the disclosing party. Such  
8 information includes, but is not limited to, the following documents and tangible  
9 things produced or otherwise exchanged: sales information and other financial data;  
10 private account information of third parties; vendor information and pricing;  
11 confidential business communications and agreements with third parties;  
12 information or materials that identify potential or current customers or vendors of a  
13 party; and marketing and business strategies.

14 2.2 "Highly Confidential - Attorneys' Eyes Only" material shall include  
15 information that the party believes is of such an extremely sensitive or secret nature  
16 that disclosure of such information to any other party or non-party reasonably poses  
17 the risk of competitive injury and may compromise and/or jeopardize its business  
18 interests even if protected by a Confidential designation.

19 3. SCOPE

20 The protections conferred by this agreement cover not only confidential  
21 material (as defined above), but also (1) any information copied or extracted from  
22 confidential material; (2) all copies, excerpts, summaries, or compilations of  
23 confidential material; and (3) any testimony, conversations, or presentations by  
24 parties or their counsel that might reveal confidential material.  
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1 However, the protections conferred by this agreement do not cover  
 2 information that is in the public domain or becomes part of the public domain  
 3 through trial or otherwise.

4 4. ACCESS TO AND USE OF CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL

5 4.1 Basic Principles. A receiving party may use confidential material that  
 6 is disclosed or produced by another party or by a non-party in connection with this  
 7 case only for prosecuting, defending, or attempting to settle this litigation.  
 8 Confidential material may be disclosed only to the categories of persons and under  
 9 the conditions described in this agreement. Confidential material must be stored and  
 10 maintained by a receiving party at a location and in a secure manner that ensures that  
 11 access is limited to the persons authorized under this agreement.

12 4.2 Disclosure of "CONFIDENTIAL" Information or Items. Unless otherwise  
 13 ordered by the court or permitted in writing by the designating party, a receiving  
 14 party may disclose confidential material only to:

15 (a) the receiving party's counsel of record in this action, as well as  
 16 employees of counsel to whom it is reasonably necessary to disclose the information  
 17 for this litigation;

18 (b) up to three individuals who are officers, directors, and/or employees of  
 19 the receiving party to whom disclosure is reasonably necessary for this litigation,  
 20 unless a particular document or material produced is for Attorneys' Eyes Only and  
 21 is so designated;

22 (c) experts and consultants to whom disclosure is reasonably necessary for  
 23 this litigation, provided that: (1) such experts or consultants are not presently  
 24 employed by or serving as an independent contractor, vendor, or consultant for the  
 25 parties hereto for purposes other than this action; (2) before access is given, the  
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1 consultant or expert has signed, completed, and agreed to the “Acknowledgment and  
2 Agreement to Be Bound” (Exhibit A) attached hereto and the same is served upon  
3 the producing party with a current curriculum vitae of the consultant or expert. If the  
4 producing party does not object within ten business days, the party may give access  
5 to the disclosed consultant or expert. If the producing party timely objects to  
6 disclosure of confidential material to the consultant or expert, the parties shall  
7 promptly confer and use good faith to resolve any such objection. If the parties are  
8 unable to resolve any objection, the objecting party may file a motion with the court  
9 within ten (10) days of its objection, or within such other time as the parties may  
10 agree, seeking a protective order with respect to the proposed disclosure. The  
11 objecting party shall have the burden of proving the need for a protective order. No  
12 disclosure shall occur until all such objections are resolved by agreement or court  
13 order. Notwithstanding the above, no discovery shall be had of any expert or  
14 consultant disclosed under the provisions of this paragraph unless and until such  
15 person is designated as a testifying expert witness under Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a) (2);

16 (d) the court, court personnel, and court reporters and their staff, provided  
17 that court reporters must execute Exhibit A attached hereto;

18 (e) copy or imaging services retained by counsel to assist in the duplication  
19 of confidential material, provided that counsel for the party retaining the copy or  
20 imaging service instructs the service not to disclose any confidential material to third  
21 parties and to immediately return all originals and copies of any confidential  
22 material;

23 (f) during his/her deposition, a witnesses in the action, after he/she/they  
24 execute Exhibit A hereto, if (1) the witness is a current employee, officer, director,  
25 or Fed. R. Civ. P. 30(b)(6) designee of the producing party, or (2) the document  
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1 shows on its face that the witness is the author, addressee, or copy recipient of the  
 2 document, or if other evidence establishes that she has previously reviewed it. Pages  
 3 of transcribed deposition testimony or exhibits to depositions that reveal confidential  
 4 material must be separately bound by the court reporter and may not be disclosed to  
 5 anyone except as permitted under this agreement;

6 (g) professional jury or trial consultants, mock jurors, and Professional  
 7 Vendors to whom disclosure is reasonably necessary for this Action and who have  
 8 signed the Exhibit A hereto;

9 (h) any mediator or settlement officer, and their supporting personnel,  
 10 mutually agreed upon by any of the parties engaged in settlement discussions;

11 (i) the author or recipient of a document containing the information or a  
 12 custodian or other person who otherwise possessed or knew the information,  
 13 provided he/she/they execute Exhibit A hereto.

14 (j) For confidential material designated “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –  
 15 ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY,” access to, and disclosure of, such material shall be  
 16 limited to individuals listed in paragraphs 4.2(a) and (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), and (i).

17 4.3 Filing Confidential Material. Before filing confidential material or  
 18 discussing or referencing such material in court filings, the filing party shall confer  
 19 with the designating party to determine whether the designating party will remove  
 20 the confidential designation, whether the document can be redacted, or whether a  
 21 motion to seal or stipulation and proposed order is warranted. During the meet and  
 22 confer process, the designating party must identify the basis for sealing the specific  
 23 confidential information at issue, and the filing party shall include this basis in its  
 24 motion to seal, along with any objection to sealing the information at issue.

1 5. DESIGNATING PROTECTED MATERIAL

2 5.1 Exercise of Restraint and Care in Designating Material for Protection.

3 Each party or non-party that designates information or items for protection under  
4 this agreement must take care to, when reasonable to do so, limit any such  
5 designation to specific material that qualifies under the appropriate standards.  
6 Whenever feasible, the designating party must designate for protection only those  
7 parts of material, documents, items, or oral or written communications that qualify,  
8 so that other portions of the material, documents, items, or communications for  
9 which protection is not warranted are not swept unjustifiably within the ambit of this  
10 agreement.

11 Mass, indiscriminate, or routinized designations are prohibited. Designations  
12 that are shown to be clearly unjustified or that have been made for an improper  
13 purpose (*e.g.*, to unnecessarily encumber or delay the case development process or  
14 to impose unnecessary expenses and burdens on other parties) expose the  
15 designating party to sanctions.

16 If it comes to a designating party's attention that information or items that it  
17 designated for protection do not qualify for protection, the designating party must  
18 promptly notify all other parties that it is withdrawing the mistaken designation.

19 5.2 Manner and Timing of Designations. Except as otherwise provided in  
20 this agreement, or as otherwise stipulated or ordered, disclosure or discovery  
21 material that qualifies for protection under this agreement must be clearly so  
22 designated before or when the material is disclosed or produced.

23 (a) Information in documentary form: (*e.g.*, paper or electronic  
24 documents and deposition exhibits, but excluding transcripts of depositions or other  
25 pretrial or trial proceedings), the designating party must affix the word  
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1 “CONFIDENTIAL” (or, as applicable, “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL -  
2 ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY”) to each page that contains confidential material. If  
3 only a portion or portions of the material on a page qualifies for protection, the  
4 producing party also must clearly identify the protected portion(s) (*e.g.*, by making  
5 appropriate markings in the margins).

6 (b) Testimony given in deposition or in other pretrial proceedings:  
7 the parties and any participating non-parties may identify on the record, during the  
8 deposition or other pretrial proceeding, all protected testimony, without prejudice to  
9 their right to so designate other testimony after reviewing the transcript. The  
10 designating party shall have up to 15 days from the date the deposition transcript is  
11 received for the designating party to identify the specific portions of the testimony  
12 as to which protection is sought and to specify the level of protection being asserted.  
13 Only those portions of the testimony that are appropriately designated for protection  
14 within 15 days from the date the deposition transcript is received by counsel for the  
15 designating party shall be covered by the provisions of this stipulated protective  
16 order. Until the expiration of the 15 days from the date the deposition transcript is  
17 received by counsel for the designating party, the entire transcript shall be treated as  
18 “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL - ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY.”

19 (c) Exception to (b): if a party or non-party wishes to use or disclose  
20 any portion of the transcript as if not designated under this Protective Order prior to  
21 the expiration of the 15-day period, that party shall email the designating party to  
22 request whether the designating party objects to the use or disclosure of that portion  
23 (which may include up to the entire transcript). The designating party shall have one  
24 business day to respond to the request. If the designating party fails to respond within  
25 one business day, the requested portion of the transcript shall not be treated as either  
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1 “CONFIDENTIAL” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES  
2 ONLY.”

3 (d) Use of designated information at trial: if a party or non-party  
4 desires to protect confidential information at trial, the issue should be addressed  
5 during the pre-trial conference.

6 (e) Other tangible items: the producing party must affix in a  
7 prominent place on the exterior of the container or containers in which the  
8 information or item is stored the word “CONFIDENTIAL” or “HIGHLY  
9 CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY.” If only a portion or portions of  
10 the information or item warrant protection, the producing party, to the extent  
11 practicable, shall identify the protected portion(s).

12 5.3 Inadvertent Failures to Designate. An inadvertent failure to designate  
13 qualified information or items does not, standing alone, waive the designating  
14 party’s right to secure protection under this Order for such material. Upon notice of  
15 an inadvertent failure to designate, the receiving party must take all reasonable  
16 efforts to ensure that the material is treated in accordance with the provisions of this  
17 Order.

## 18 6. CHALLENGING CONFIDENTIALITY DESIGNATIONS

19 6.1 Timing of Challenges. Any party or non-party may challenge a  
20 designation of confidentiality at any time. Unless a prompt challenge to a  
21 designating party’s confidentiality designation is necessary to avoid foreseeable,  
22 substantial unfairness, unnecessary economic burdens, or a significant disruption or  
23 delay of the litigation, a party does not waive its right to challenge a confidentiality  
24 designation by electing not to mount a challenge promptly after the original  
25 designation is disclosed.



1           6.2 Meet and Confer. The parties must make every attempt to resolve any  
 2 dispute regarding confidential designations in a timely manner and without court  
 3 involvement. Any motion regarding confidential designations or for a protective  
 4 order must include a certification, in the motion or in a declaration or affidavit, that  
 5 the movant has engaged in a good faith meet and confer conference with other  
 6 affected parties in an effort to resolve the dispute without court action. The  
 7 certification must list the date, manner, and participants to the conference. A good  
 8 faith effort to confer requires a face-to-face meeting or a telephone conference.

9           6.3 Judicial Intervention. If the parties cannot resolve a challenge without  
 10 court intervention, the designating party may file and serve a motion to retain  
 11 confidentiality. The burden of persuasion in any such motion shall be on the  
 12 designating party. Frivolous challenges, and those made for an improper purpose  
 13 (e.g., to harass or impose unnecessary expenses and burdens on other parties) may  
 14 expose the challenging party to sanctions. All parties shall continue to maintain the  
 15 material in question as confidential until the court rules on the challenge.

16 7. PROTECTED MATERIAL SUBPOENAED OR ORDERED PRODUCED  
 17 IN OTHER LITIGATION

18           If a party is served with a subpoena or a court order issued in other litigation  
 19 that compels disclosure of any information or items designated in this action as  
 20 “CONFIDENTIAL,” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES  
 21 ONLY,” that party must:

22                   (a) promptly notify the designating party in writing and include a  
 23 copy of the subpoena or court order;

24                   (b) promptly notify in writing the party who caused the subpoena or  
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1 order to issue in the other litigation that some or all of the material covered by the  
 2 subpoena or order is subject to this Order. Such notification shall include a copy of  
 3 this Order; and

4 (c) cooperate with respect to all reasonable procedures sought to be  
 5 pursued by the designating party whose confidential material may be affected.

6 8. UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE OF PROTECTED MATERIAL

7 If a receiving party learns that, by inadvertence or otherwise, it has disclosed  
 8 confidential material to any person or in any circumstance not authorized under this  
 9 agreement, the receiving party must immediately (a) notify in writing the designating  
 10 party of the unauthorized disclosures, (b) use its best efforts to retrieve all  
 11 unauthorized copies of the protected material, (c) inform the person or persons to  
 12 whom unauthorized disclosures were made of all the terms of this agreement, and  
 13 (d) request that such person or persons execute the “Acknowledgment and  
 14 Agreement to Be Bound” that is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

15 9. INADVERTENT PRODUCTION OF PRIVILEGED OR OTHERWISE  
 16 PROTECTED MATERIAL

17 When a producing party gives notice to receiving parties that certain  
 18 inadvertently produced material is subject to a claim of privilege or other protection,  
 19 the obligations of the receiving parties are those set forth in Federal Rule of Civil  
 20 Procedure 26(b)(5)(B). This provision is not intended to modify whatever procedure  
 21 may be established in the parties’ proposed e-discovery order, which is incorporated  
 22 herein by reference, or agreement that provides for production without prior  
 23 privilege review. The parties agree to the entry of a non-waiver order under Fed. R.  
 24 Evid. 502(d) as set forth herein.

10. TERMINATION AND RETURN OF DOCUMENTS

Within 60 days after the termination of this action, including all appeals, each receiving party must return all confidential material to the producing party, including all copies, extracts and summaries thereof. Alternatively, the parties may agree upon appropriate methods of destruction.

Notwithstanding this provision, counsel are entitled to retain one archival copy of all documents filed with the court, trial, deposition, and hearing transcripts, correspondence, deposition and trial exhibits, expert reports, attorney work product, and consultant and expert work product, even if such materials contain confidential material.

The confidentiality obligations imposed by this agreement shall remain in effect until a designating party agrees otherwise in writing or a court orders otherwise.

11. THIRD PARTIES

To the extent that any discovery is taken of persons who are not parties to this action (“Third Parties”), and in the event that such Third Parties contend that the discovery sought involves trade secrets, confidential business information, or other proprietary information, such Third Parties may produce confidential materials pursuant to this Order. The Third Parties shall have ten (10) days after production of such documents, information, or other materials to make a designation under this Order. Until that time period lapses or until such a designation has been made, whichever occurs sooner, all documents, information, or other material so produced or given shall be treated as “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” in accordance with this Order.

12. MISCELLANEOUS

12.1 Right to Further Relief: Nothing in this Order abridges the right of any person to seek its modification by the Court in the future.

12.2 Right to Assert Other Objections: By agreeing to the entry of this Protective Order, no Party waives any right it otherwise would have to object to disclosing or producing any information or item on any ground not addressed in this Protective Order. Similarly, no Party waives any right to object on any ground to use in evidence of any of the material covered by this Protective Order.

1 IT IS SO AGREED, THROUGH COUNSEL OF RECORD.

2 Dated this 18th day of July, 2022

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**ORDER**

PURSUANT TO AGREEMENT FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER, IT IS SO ORDERED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that pursuant to Fed. R. Evid. 502(d), the production of any documents in this proceeding shall not, for the purposes of this proceeding or any other federal or state proceeding, constitute a waiver by the producing party of any privilege applicable to those documents, including the attorney-client privilege, attorney work-product protection, or any other privilege or protection recognized by law.

DATED: August 4, 2022.



A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Thomas O. Rice".

Thomas O. Rice  
United States District Judge

EXHIBIT A

ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND AGREEMENT TO BE BOUND

I, \_\_\_\_\_ [print or type full name], of  
\_\_\_\_\_ [print or type full address], declare  
under penalty of perjury that I have read in its entirety and understand the Protective  
Order that was issued by the United States District Court for the Eastern District of  
Washington on [date] in the case of *Revelry Vintners, LLC, v. Mackay Restaurant  
Management Group, Inc.*, et al.. Case No. 4:21-cv-05110-TOR. I agree to comply  
with, and to be bound by, all the terms of this Protective Order and I understand and  
acknowledge that failure to so comply could expose me to sanctions and punishment  
in the nature of contempt. I solemnly promise that I will not disclose in any manner  
any information or item that is subject to this Protective Order to any person or entity  
except in strict compliance with the provisions of this Order.

I further agree to submit to the jurisdiction of the United States District Court  
for the Eastern District of Washington for the purpose of enforcing the terms of this  
Protective Order, even if such enforcement proceedings occur after termination of  
this action. In the even I am not a resident or citizen of Washington, I hereby appoint  
\_\_\_\_\_ [print or type full name] of  
\_\_\_\_\_ [print or type full address  
and telephone number] as my Washington agent for service of process in connection  
with this action or any proceedings related to enforcement of this Protective Order.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

City and State where sworn and signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_